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WOMAN WHO DISAPPEARED HAS BEEN FOUND.

Mrs. Sue Bennet Blanke, twenty-five year-old wife of J. E. Blanke, who mysteriously disappeared from her home, on the Wagner farm, near Paris, several night ago, has been located. Mrs. Blanke was found at the home of friends, in Cynthiana, where she had gone the night of her disappearance.

Last Thursday night the missing woman left her home about ten o'clock, telling her husband she wanted to get out in the open air for a while. When she failed to return, her husband instituted a search for her, but she could not be found. The couple had been married about a year, and, according to the statement of the husband, there had been nothing in their married life to mar this harmony. Some time ago Mrs. Blanke underwent an operation which confined her to her bed for several weeks. She had worried over this to some extent.

When seen at Cynthiana, Mrs. Blanke stated that her home life in recent months had not been a happy one, and that events culminating Thursday night had compelled her to leave the home. At the time of her marriage to Mr. Blanke she was a professional nurse and attended him during a serious illness. He fell in love with her and proposed marriage. She accepted, and they were married, coming from Roanoke, Va., to Paris, where Mr. Blanke purchased the farm upon which they reside.

LOCAL TRAPSHOTS IN STATE TOURNAMENT.

F. B. Hillis, of Lexington, won the Kentucky trapshooting championship by defeating Woolfolk Henderson, of Lexington, in the shoot-off of their tie at the Louisville Gun Club. Both men broke 288 out of the first 300 birds shot at and Hillis gained the title by cracking 20 straight to Henderson's 19 in the extra session.

On the first day of the tournament Bourbon county shooters made the following scores: At 150 targets—J. Q. Ward, 93; T. Porter Smith, 93; J. N. Shropshire, 88; Alfred Clay, 85. On the second day, the Bourbon men scored as follows: At 150 targets—Alfred Clay, J. Q. Ward and J. N. Shropshire, 141 each.

SELLS GARAGE BUSINESS.

W. S. Hughes has sold the Paris Garage business to F. R. and Robt. Insko, of Mt. Olivet. The new proprietors have taken charge of the place. Mr. Hughes has taken a position as manager of the Big Four Garage, at the corner of Eighth and High streets.

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J. CAMPBELL CANTRILL FOR CONGRESSMAN.

In the primary election to be held on next Saturday, August 7, James Campbell Cantrill, who has so ably represented the historic old Ashland District in Congress for several terms, will be opposed for renomination by Robert E. Lee Murray, attorney, of Lexington. In this issue of THE NEWS, on page three, appears a display advertisement carrying Mr. Cantrill's announcement to the people of Bourbon county.

In making the race for re-election to the office in which he has so ably and faithfully served his constituents, Mr. Cantrill does so with a high sense of honor and a due appreciation of the responsibility to be entrusted to him. He has ever been the champion of the people. He has made a record that we are all proud of, and none would be so debased as to cast even the suspicion of taint upon his record as a public official and as a man. He is undoubtedly one of the strongest men on the Democratic side of the House, and in returning him to Congress as our Representative, the people of the Seventh District would do themselves an honor, and confer upon a tried and true Democrat the approving saying: "Well done, thou good and faithful servant, enter again the halls of Congress."

THE NEWS has no disparagement to make of Mr. Murphy's candidacy, but we do predict that he will have to be of heavier caliber to take the measure of a man like J. Campbell Cantrill. Unless he is denied the nomination for Congress, which is hardly probable, Mr. Cantrill will again write his name in Washington as "J. Campbell Cantrill, M. C., Seventh District, Kentucky."

HAIL INSURANCE Insure your growing crop of tobacco against hail with YERKES & PEED.

(July 2-tf)

STAY IN SCHOOL CAMPAIGN

Twenty States have been co-operating with the Children's Bureau of the United States Department of Labor in a "stay-in-school campaign" to abolish child labor by providing suitable education as well as by prohibiting employment; and in the fall they are to conduct a "back-to-school campaign" to round up the children who fail to report at the beginning of the school year. Vacation work influences so many children to leave school before they are equipped to enter skilled occupations that it has been found advisable to take active measures to stop the tendency.

DEATHS.

MARTIN.

A message received here by Mrs. Mary E. Hibler told of the death last week in Arline, Oklahoma, of Mrs. Jennie Kirby Martin, a former resident of Paris. Mrs. Martin's first husband was Mr. W. H. Kirby, father of Capt. W. H. Kirby, popular Louisville & Nashville conductor, who resided in Paris several years. Her second marriage was to Mr. Henry Martin, who was killed by lightning several years ago.

Mrs. Martin was a woman of marked intelligence, being a gifted writer and composer. She possessed an unusually happy disposition, and her visits to her old Kentucky home were looked forward to and remembered with the greatest pleasure by her many friends, who sincerely regret to learn of her death.

ORR.

—Rev. Benjamin Franklin Orr, aged seventy-two, for forty years recognized as one of the ablest men in the ministry of the Methodist church, in Kentucky, died at the home of his son, Dr. James A. Orr, on Stoner avenue, in this city, on Saturday morning, following an illness of but a few hours. Rev. Orr had been about the house a few days previous, and seemed to be in good health and spirits. His death was due to an attack of heart and kidney trouble.

Rev. Orr was married three times, county, where he was born in 1848. At the age of twenty, he entered the ministry of the Methodist church, as a member of the Louisville Conference. During the many years he labored so faithfully and earnestly in the cause of Christianity he served at Presiding Elder of the Henderson, Princeton and other districts. His pastorates included Owensboro, Morganfield, Adairville, Bardonia, and many others. While residing at Bardonia a few years ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis which compelled his retirement from the ministry, and since then he has made his home with his children in Paris. He was a man of distinguished appearance and bearing, and possessed a keen intellect and reasoning power, which made him a marked figure among the ministers of the Methodist denomination in this State. As a pulpit orator he took high rank, his sermons being remarkable for their power and eloquence.

Mr. Orr was married three times, all three of his helpmates having preceded him to the Great Beyond. He is survived by the following children: Mrs. E. E. Perry, Sonora, Ky.; Mrs. C. M. McGhee, Newport; Miss Willie M. Orr, Louisville; Dr. James A. Orr, Eugene F. Orr, Ben F. Orr, Jr., Miss Olivia Orr and Miss Ruth Orr, all of Paris. Four brothers also survive: Dr. J. A. Orr, Metropolis, Ill.; John Orr, Paucan; Rev. J. C. Orr, Viola; Horace L. Orr, Mayfield.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, at the Paris Methodist church, with services conducted by Rev. S. J. Thompson, assisted by Rev. C. H. Greer. The burial followed in the Paris Cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Jo Varden, Dr. Chas. G. Daugherty, Dr. M. H. Bailey, T. S. Galloway, Henry A. Power, James McClure, Chas. A. Duncan, Chas. N. Fithian.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PARIS HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.

THE NEWS is in receipt of the following note from Prof. Lee Kirkpatrick, Superintendent of the Paris Public Schools, who is attending the Summer session at Columbia University, in New York:

"I desire to have published an important notice to all students who will enter the Paris High School, on Monday, September 6.

"All Freshmen are requested to meet the High School faculty on Thursday, August 18, at 8:30 a. m., at the High School, for classification. All Sophomores at the same place at 10:30 a. m., same day. All Juniors at same place, at 1:30 p. m. All Seniors at same place at 3:30 p. m., same day.

"LEF KIRKPATRICK, Supt." Enclosed with the communication was a copy of the official program of the Tenth Annual Reception of the Columbia University Southern Club, held at the University on July 27. Prof. Kirkpatrick, president of the Southern Club, presided. The principal speakers were Prof. George Drayton Strayer, Professor of Educational Administration at Columbia University and Houston B. Teehee, formerly Registrar of the U. S. Treasury, Washington, D. C.

SARATOGA SALES TO BREAK THE RECORD.

The Saratoga, New York, race track will become the summer capital of racemod this week, when a twenty-six-day race meeting and the annual sales of yearlings will be inaugurated. It is expected that the sales this year will break the record. Sales will begin Wednesday. In the consignments to be sold that day will be twenty-six head from the Claiborne Stud of Arthur B. Hancock, of near Paris, and several from the stables of Charlton Clay, of Marchmont Farm, Paris. These animals are expected to bring fancy prices, owing to their high-class breeding.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The Committee on Swimming and Aquatic Sports for Women at the Y. M. C. A., voted to conduct a second campaign for teaching women to swim. The campaign will open to-day (Tuesday, August 3rd) and continue for a week. A nurse will be on hand at the Y. M. C. A. each evening during the campaign to look after the youngsters of mothers who want to take lessons, and a special squad of Boy Scouts will act as escorts for any who desire them.

The class will meet daily at 7:30 p. m. Those taking lessons will come as guests of the Y. M. C. A.

The committee is composed of the following ladies: Mrs. Pearce Paton, Chairman; Mrs. Douglas Thomas, Jr., Misses Grace Haskins, Elizabeth Crutcher, Mamie Lee Baldwin, Harriett Rogers and Josephine Fithian. Mr. Sheffield will be in charge of the instruction.

The report of the Public Service Laboratories of the Kentucky State University dated July 29, on the condition of the water in the Y. M. C. A. swimming pool, states the following:

"The treatment of the water with chloride of lime has been effective. A sample of the city water was sent also, concerning which the report says: 'The city water should be boiled for use in the home.'"

RECOVERS DIAMOND RING

A diamond ring lost a few days ago by Miss Edie O'Donnell, residing on Cypress street, was recovered in a most unusual manner, and wasn't hung on a door knob or a shutter, either, strange to say. Miss O'Donnell left the ring on a dresser while she went into another room to attend to some household duties, being detained there longer than she expected. When she returned the ring had disappeared. Thoughts flitting through her mind of the many mysterious disappearances of diamond rings that had been reported here, she notified the police.

Nothing more was heard of the ring until the other morning, when Miss O'Donnell noticed her pet house cat acting in a peculiar manner, walking on three legs as if mischievous boys had glued a wainscot shell to the member. Upon investigation she discovered the missing ring. The cat, which was a household pet, had been playing with the ring during his mistress's absence, and in some unaccountable manner the jewel had slipped over his paw. The news of the happy ending of the quest for the article was telephoned to the police, and the cat was heralded as a good gift.

DETROIT VAPOR OIL STOVE DEMONSTRATION

Mr. Simpson, an expert from the Detroit Vapor Oil Stove factory at Detroit, Michigan, will be at our store on August 10 and 11 to give practical demonstrations of this famous stove. Housekeepers of Paris and Bourbon county are cordially invited to call and witness these demonstrations. Read our big advertisement on page four of this issue of THE NEWS.

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SHOULD ENFORCE THE LAW

With the work of reconstructing Main street almost finished and the work finished on Pleasant street and the finishing of work incident to harvest on the farms, traffic on the streets in Paris is expected to take on an added impetus. Then, the police claim, there will be a full realization on the part of some automobile drivers of the fact that the new speed ordinance will be enforced to the letter.

Warrants will be sworn out in every case, and Police Judge Ernest Martin will make an example of each one brought before him, if the evidence warrants a conviction, in order to do away with the dangerous practices the reckless and unheeding drivers indulge in. There have been numerous instances reported of infringements on the law in the county, but the traffic in the city has grown to such proportions, and the danger to pedestrians so great that something will have to be done to curb the reckless ones.

MISS SLADE TO BE WITH RED-PATH.

Miss Virginia Slade, the talented reader who has so often delighted Paris audiences, has signed a contract with the Redpath Chautauqua Bureau for lecture and chautauqua work in 1921 and 1922, and is subject to call to fill vacancies before that time.

Miss Slade has just returned from Kansas City, where she gave several recitals. She is the daughter of Colonel and Mrs. R. L. Slade, and formerly attended Transylvania College, where she was a leading member of the Stagecrafters, the college dramatic organization.

Cheerfulness is about the only contagious thing we aren't afraid of.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BIG SALE OF DUROC-JERSEY HOGS TO FEATURE WEEK.

To-morrow, Wednesday, August 4, will be a gala day for Paris people, or at least for those who can get away from business pursuits for the day.

For this day there is scheduled the big old-fashioned, all-day picnic to be given by P. I. McCarthy Council, Knights of Columbus, of Paris, to be held in the woodland of D. G. Taylor, on the Lexington pike, opposite the site of the Paris fair grounds. An unusually good program of events has been arranged for the entertainment of all who attend. A musical program will be rendered by the Maysville Boys' Band, an organization of great merit. The day will be one of unalloyed enjoyment, and will be long remembered as a day of pleasure. Drop your business cares for one day, or for a half-day, and attend the picnic. You will gain by the short vacation and also contribute to a worthy cause, to which the Knights of Columbus are devoting their time and energies.

BOURBON GUN CLUB SHOOT

The Bourbon Gun Club held their regular shooting tournament on the Club grounds, in East Paris, Friday afternoon. The trophy donated by the Ruggles Motor Co. was hotly contested for, nine good marksmen tying up in the first fifty targets shot at. In the first shoot-off at twenty-five targets four shooters dropped out, leaving five tied up for the second shoot-off at twenty-five targets, then the winner, Ray Taylor, with a score of twenty-four out of twenty-five.

Those breaking twenty or more out of twenty-five were as follows: Clarence Kenney, 22, 24; Raymond McMillan, 22, 21; Douglas Thomas, Jr., 20, 22; Walter Kenney, 25; Dan W. Peed, Jr., 20; James M. Caldwell, 21; Clarence K. Thomas, 20; James W. Thompson, Jr., 20; Ray Taylor, 21.

The next regular shoot will be held Friday afternoon, August 6. The trophy for that event will be a pair of \$16.50 gold link cuff buttons donated by Shire & Fithian, which are now on exhibition in their show window. Spectators and visiting shooters are always welcome. Many ladies have been taking a keen interest in the events, and the members of the Club would like to have more of them present.

\$750,000 FIRE DAMAGE TO PHILADELPHIA PLANTS

Fire among a nest of factory buildings at Philadelphia, caused damage estimated at \$750,000, and injured a half dozen firemen. A number of workers had narrow escapes from injury. Several women, trapped by the flames, were forced to jump from the windows.

SALE OF DUROC-JERSEY HOGS TO FEATURE WEEK.

The Great Kentucky Sales Circuit, the largest circuit for the sale of Duroc-Jersey hogs in the United States, will be held in Bourbon and neighboring counties during this week, and delegations from surrounding States are expected to be present at the sales.

The first day's sale will be held to-day, near North Middletown, on the Bridgeway Farm, owned by Walter Meng. On Wednesday, the sales will swing down to Mayfield Farm, property of J. A. Serpell, six and one-half miles from Lexington on the Russell Cave pike. The sales on Thursday will be at stock from Greendale Farm, owned by H. E. Bullock, but because the selling pavilion there has not been completed, the sales will be held in the pavilion of the Mayfield Farm. Coldspring Farm, two and one-half miles on the Newtown pike, will sell on Friday. Saturday McKee Brothers will conduct a sale at their farm near Versailles.

LODGE NOTES

Mrs. Dena Chapman, Grand Chief of the Pythian Sisters, Knights of Pythias, instituted a Temple of the order at Cynthiana, Friday night. Those from Paris who attended and assisted in the ceremonies were Mr. and Mrs. John K. Cahal, Mrs. Thos. Harp, Misses Shelby Storey and Sadie Fuller.

Bourbon Lodge I. O. O. F. will inaugurate the Endowment Fund Drive for \$500,000, on Sunday, August 29, with speaking at the Grand Opera House. Music will be furnished by the Odd Fellows Orphan Home bands, and all the children from the Home will be present.

Daugherty Lodge, No. 65, F. & A. M., will celebrate the hundredth anniversary of its establishment with a picnic at Mather's Woods, near Carlisle, August 18. Past Grand Master Sam K. Veach is in possession of the first minute book of this lodge. The record is legible and remarkably well preserved. Thomas Metcalfe, who afterwards became Governor of Kentucky, was the first secretary of the lodge. Many other names of men in after life were prominent in State affairs are on the records.

The regular meeting of the Pythian Sisters, auxiliary of the Knights of Pythias, will be held Thursday night, at 7:30 o'clock, in their lodge room. Business of importance will be up for consideration. All the members are urged to be present.

BIRTHS.

—Near Leesburg, to the wife of Albert Wachs, a son, christened Warren Cleveland Wachs.

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